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Filed: March 22, 2004)Group
)Art Unit: 1641
Serial No.: 10/806,327)
)Examiner: Shafiqul Haq
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Function in an Automatic Clinical Analyzer)
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Atty Docket: BEH-7456)

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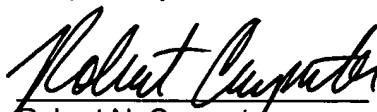
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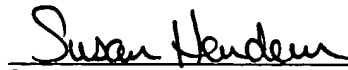
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